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SUBJECT: HUMAN RIGHTS VETTING FOR INDIVIDUALS TO ATTEND THE JOINT BOARDING OFFICERS COURSE, MARCH 8-19, 2010 AT REAM NAVAL BASE, CAMBODIA

REF: 03 STATE 034981

- 11. This is an action cable. See Paragraph Six.
- ¶2. Reftel is guidance for screening nominees for U.S. sponsored training programs.
- 13. To comply with the Leahy Amendment relative to U.S. sponsored security assistance training, the U.S. Embassy Phnom Penh has conducted local human rights vetting for the following individuals selected for the Joint Boarding Officers Course, March 8-19, 2010 at Ream Naval Base, Cambodia.

NAME: NGETH, Sothearith (Male) DPOB: February 20, 1967; Kampot

POSITION: Executive Officer, Ship 1401

RANK: Lieutenant

DEPT/UNIT: Transportation Unit, Ream Naval Base

NAME: POCH, Chamroeun (Male) DPOB: April 4, 1960; Sihanoukville POSITION: Chief of Ship Control Office

RANK: Lieutenant

DEPT/UNIT: Transportation Unit, Ream Naval Base

NAME: NEANG, Samrethysak (Male) DPOB: May 25, 1982; Kandal POSITION: Navigator

RANK: Lieutenant Junior Grade

DEPT/UNIT: Transportation Unit, Ream Naval Base

NAME: TOCH, Sinath (Male)
DPOB: May 2, 1970; Koh Kong
POSITION: Executive Officer, Ship 1401

RANK: Ensign

DEPT/UNIT: Transportation Unit, Ream Naval Base

NAME: OU, Sothy (Male)

DPOB: January 15, 1967; Kandal POSITION: Captain, Ship 1107

RANK: Lieutenant

DEPT/UNIT: Coast Patrol Unit 6, Ream Naval Base

NAME: TAN, Bunna (Male) DPOB: June 13, 1966; Takeo POSITION: Captain, Ship 1104

RANK: Lieutenant

DEPT/UNIT: Coast Patrol Unit 6, Ream Naval Base

NAME: LOCH, Chrey (Male)

DPOB: September 25, 1972; Kampot

POSITION: Executive Officer, Ship 1101

RANK: Lieutenant Junior Grade

DEPT/UNIT: Coast Patrol Unit 6, Ream Naval Base

NAME: LY, Rachanak (Male)

DPOB: January 30, 1970; Siem Reap

POSITION: Executive Officer, Ship 1108

RANK: Lieutenant

DEPT/UNIT: Coast Patrol Unit 6, Ream Naval Base

NAME: SOK, Chen (Male)

DPOB: December 12, 1973; Svay Rieng POSITION: Executive Officer, Ship 1104

RANK: Ensign

DEPT/UNIT: Coast Patrol Unit 6, Ream Naval Base

NAME: NUON, Saroeun (Male) DPOB: August 13, 1974; Kampot

POSITION: Executive Officer, Ship 1106

RANK: Ensign

DEPT/UNIT: Coast Patrol Unit 6, Ream Naval Base

NAME: KEO, Vireak (Male)

DPOB: January 2, 1969; Svay Rieng POSITION: Crew, Ship 1106

RANK: Ensign

DEPT/UNIT: Coast Patrol Unit 6, Ream Naval Base

NAME: MEN, Than (Male)

DPOB: December 6, 1970; Svay Rieng POSITION: Executive Officer, Ship 1102

RANK: Ensign

DEPT/UNIT: Coast Patrol Unit 6, Ream Naval Base

NAME: SRAS, Savuth (Male)

DPOB: February 13, 1975; Kandal

POSITION: Chief of Engine Inspection

RANK: Chief Warrant Officer

DEPT/UNIT: Coast Patrol Unit 6, Ream Naval Base

NAME: PECH, Neang (Male) DPOB: July 20, 1968; Kandal POSITION: Captain, Ship 1103

RANK: Ensign

DEPT/UNIT: Coast Patrol Unit 6, Ream Naval Base

NAME: SOK, Kimthon (Male)

DPOB: April 3, 1960; Svay Rieng

POSITION: Executive Officer, Ship 1123

RANK: Lieutenant Junior Grade

DEPT/UNIT: Fast Patrol Unit 7, Ream Naval Base

NAME: NGETH, Phalla (Male)

DPOB: August 15, 1968; Phnom Penh

POSITION: Executive Officer, Ship 1142

RANK: Lieutenant Junior Grade

DEPT/UNIT: Fast Patrol Unit 7, Ream Naval Base

NAME: SIM, Chhoeuth (Male)

DPOB: July 10, 1975; Svay Rieng

POSITION: Chief of Ship Control Office

RANK: Warrant Officer Class 1
DEPT/UNIT: Fast Patrol Unit 7, Ream Naval Base

NAME: THAN, Ratana (Male)

DPOB: May 15, 1979; Battambang POSITION: Navigator

RANK: Petty Officer Class 3

DEPT/UNIT: Fast Patrol Unit 7, Ream Naval Base

NAME: KONG, Than (Male) DPOB: July 1, 1992; Kampong Cham

POSITION: Chief of Ship Control Office

RANK: Chief Warrant Officer

DEPT/UNIT: Fast Patrol Unit 7, Ream Naval Base

NAME: VONG, Thea (Male)

DPOB: October 15, 1972; Svay Rieng POSITION: Executive Officer, Ship 1131

RANK: Ensign

DEPT/UNIT: Fast Patrol Unit 7, Ream Naval Base

NAME: SAN, Pheak (Male)

DPOB: February 2, 1962; Kandal

POSITION: Executive Officer, Ship 1132

RANK: Lieutenant

DEPT/UNIT: Fast Patrol Unit 7, Ream Naval Base

NAME: CHETH, Rithy (Male) DPOB: May 10, 1970; Kandal POSITION: Executive Officer, Ship 1143

RANK: Lieutenant Junior Grade

DEPT/UNIT: Fast Patrol Unit 7, Ream Naval Base

NAME: CHHITH, Lay (Male) DPOB: January 1, 1980; Takeo POSITION: Radar Operator RANK: Petty Officer Class 1

DEPT/UNIT: Fast Patrol Unit 7, Ream Naval Base

NAME: TAN, Kimsan (Male)

DPOB: December 6, 1974; Pursat

POSITION: Chief of Ship Control Office

RANK: Lieutenant Junior Grade

DEPT/UNIT: Fast Patrol Unit 7, Ream Naval Base

- $\underline{\P}4$. U.S. Embassy Phnom Penh has reviewed its files and finds that, as of this date, it possesses no credible information of gross violations of human rights by the above individuals.
- ${ t exttt{1}}{ t exttt{5}}.$ Individuals will attend the Joint Boarding Officers Course, March 8-19, 2010 at Ream Naval Base, Cambodia.
- 16. Action request: Please verify whether the Department possesses any credible information that the individuals named above have been implicated in gross violations of human rights.
- 17. Points of contacts for Amembassy Phnom Penh are Major Wayne Turnbull turnbullpw@state.gov or tel: 855-23-728-219 or Jenae Johnson at Johnsonjd3@state.gov or tel: 855-23-728-118.

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